Setting up a bottling plant for country made liquor in Delhi

1039. DR. SANJAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up a botling plant for country liquor in Delhi; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) It has been agreed to in principle that Modern Food Industries (India) Limited will botle Country Liquor for Delhi State Industrial Development Corporation (DSIDC) by utilising one of the two bottling lines of the Fruit Juice Bottling Plant. This country liquor will be sold by DSIDC through retail vends operated by Public Undertakings.

States and Union Territories with Higher Population Growth Rate

@1040. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the States and Union Territories where population growth rate is more than the national average; and

(b) what are the reasons therefor and the steps taken by Government to contain it?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) A statement is annexed (*See* below).

(b) the reasons, inter-alia, include low age of females at marriage, low female literacy, women's status, strong son preference, child survival and extent of use of contraceptives. The steps taken are: strengthening mother and child health care services, improving the quality and outreach of family welfare services with focus on demographically weak districts, promotion of spacing methods among the younger age couples for increase in the couple protection rate, provision of information, education and communication etc.

@Previously unstarred question 474, transferred from 25th February, 1993.

Statement

States and Union Territories with Decadal growth Rate of Population Higher than the National Average during 1981—91 as per 1991 Census

1. Andhra Pradesh
2. Arunachal Pradesh
3. Assam
4. Haryana
5. Jammu & Kashmir
6. Madhya Pradesh
7. Maharashtra
8. Manipur
9. Meghalaya
10. Mizoram
11. Nagaland
12. Rajasthan
13. Sikkim
14. Tripura
15. Uttar Pradesh
16. West Bengal
17. A & N Islands
18. Chandigarh
19. D & N Haveli
20. Daman & Diu
21. Delhi
22. Lakshadweep
23. Pondicherry

Lecture on Population, Development and Environment

1041. SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE:
SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:
SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Institute of Health and Family Welfare recently organised a lecture on population, development and environment issue for develop-